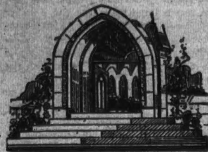


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CENTRAL UNITED CHURCH BLAIRMORE

Rev. James McKelvey, Minister

Services Sunday next:
11:00 a.m., Senior and Junior School.
7:30 p.m., Public Worship, Rev. G. A. Kettys in charge.

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, BLAIRMORE

Reverend: W. E. Brown

Thursday: War Intercession, 7:30 p.m.
Eighth Sunday after Trinity—
Holy Communion 8 a.m.
Evening and Sermon 7:30 p.m.
Altar Flowers July 23rd—Given by Mrs. G. Brown. Two hymn books have been presented to St. Luke's church by the Ladies Guild for the use of the Rector and organist. Our grateful thanks, Rector.

SALVATION ARMY, COLEMAN

Lieuts. S. Nahrney and R. Hammond.
Officers in charge.

Sunday services:
11:00 a.m., Holiness Meeting.
12:15 Noon, Sunday School.
7:30 p.m., Salvation Meeting.
Tuesday: 7:30 p.m., Red Shield Auxiliary and Home League.
Thursday: 8 p.m., Praise Meeting.
Funerals and dedications on application to the local officer.

BELLEVEUE BAPTIST CHURCH

Pastor Evangelist: Alfred Siple

11 a.m., Sunday school.
7:30 p.m., Evangelistic service.
We preach the Victory Life of Christ, and invite you.

HILLCREST UNITED CHURCH:

Services every Sunday at 9 p.m.

BELLEVEUE UNITED CHURCH:

Services at 7:30 p.m. every Sunday.

COWLEY UNITED CHURCH:

Services alternate Sunday mornings at 11 o'clock.

Rev. W. H. IRWIN, Minister.

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WELCOME ROPER'S PLAN OF MAKING MINING PAY

If by some process of OCF alchemy the coal mining industry can be operated by the government at a profit, the coal operators would be much indebted to Elmer Roper, M.L.A., if he would disclose the secret, declared Clement Stubbs, secretary and commissioner of the Western Canada Bituminous Coal Operators' Association. Commenting upon Mr. Roper's proposal to take over the coal mines, he said any government which did so would have a liability on its hands. The industry, he declared, is now in effect in the hands of the government. The operating end has been turned over to the United Mine Workers of America as a result of government meddling, and the government dictates prices, production and distribution while the treasury department takes what little profit might be made.

MILITARY REJECTS

As part of the effort to meet the acute labor shortage, all rejects are being systematically notified to report to the nearest Selective Service office for interview. This includes workers in agriculture, who are also being examined on the basis of whether they are engaged in full productive work. According to the latest reports, about 87 per cent were being permitted to remain in their present employment, while the remainder were found suitable to transfer.

When it is considered that there are some 5,000 rejects in the prairie region subject to re-check, the survey will not only reduce the figure of 18,000 important industrial jobs to be filled, but will also assist greatly in overcoming farm labor shortage. When completed, the special survey would provide urgently needed help. It will constitute a separate review of that great body of men in the designated age groups who have been unable to meet the high physical standards set by the Canadian army, thus ensuring that every member of this group will have an opportunity of making his fullest contribution to the war effort.

THE TWO-PANTS-SUIT ISSUE

It begins to look as if the two-pants suit situation might become a campaign issue. While a plank for multiple trousers can hardly be expected to find its way into either party platform, some candidate can do worse than to come out with a pledge for the return of this pre-war phenomenon.

The issue has been brought to public attention by the National Grange Monthly.

"Men do not buy two pairs of pants just because they like to spend money," observes the editor, "but because the extra pair of pants enables them to get full wear out of the coat and vest. Having been denied the extra pair of pants it is necessary for them to buy a full suit rather than a single pair of pants. This is an extravagant use of wool."

The editor makes it clear that his objection is entirely on the ground of thrift. Price control is necessary, he grants. And he thinks the present administrator of OPA is doing his utmost to correct what the editor calls "this nonsense." But much harm has already been done, as he sees it, by bureaucrats who enacted a lot of regulations "just for the fun of regulating."

A thorough review of all OPA regulations at the present time is urged by our colleague of the tripod. Even if it takes additional staff and adds to the payroll, he thinks it would save money in the long run. For it would, he is confident, bring back the two-pants suit.

And who can say what that would do to the farm vote?—Ex.



RAY DARBY

Youthful radio playwright, of Winnipeg, whose works are heard with increasing frequency on CBC networks. In addition to the daily farm broadcast sketch, "The Kirbys" (1:30 p.m. CDT Mondays through Fridays), Darby writes the fact-based script for the "Crossroads of Youth" series (Tuesdays, 10 p.m. CDT) and is a prominent contributor to the Winnipeg Summer Theatre series (Sundays at 8 p.m.).

COWLEY HAPPENINGS

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Everett had as guests for a few days this week Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Reason, of Vauxhall.

Mr. J. Griffin, lay minister of Macleod, relieved Rev. W. H. Irwin when he conducted service in the United church here on Sunday morning last.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Murphy attended memorial service at Macleod on Monday for two young nephews, aged 20 and 21, of the RCAF, who were killed in action over enemy territory.

The Roman Catholics of St. Joseph's parish held their annual picnic at the South Fork bridge on Sunday.

The Cowley Young People's Society staged a successful dance in the Cowley opera house on Friday night last.

The Sunday schools of Cowley and North Fork held a joint picnic at Jack Stainsby's place on Sunday afternoon.

Cowley was well represented at the Castle River Stampede on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stillman and family of five children have gone out to Beaver Mines to spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Martin and family of four children returned Thursday from a holiday spent at Waterton Park.

The OCF nomination meeting here on Monday afternoon was largely attended. Meeting was under the chairmanship of John Lloyd, of Blairmore.

Harold Winch, M.L.A. for Vancouver, briefly addressed the meeting, as did also Rev. W. H. Irwin, who was unanimously nominated as candidate to contest the forthcoming election.

The Prices Board at Ottawa announces that a limited amount of small arms ammunition will be made available to sportsmen after September 1st, with sales by permit only.

Bruce Hutchinson, well known writer, refers to the new Saskatchewan government as "what manner of government and how socialist we do not know, probably because it does not know itself. It's program for Saskatchewan is not radical and it does not begin to provide true socialism. Legislation to protect the farmer's ownership of his land against the threat of debt; improved social services of various sorts; reductions in taxation for the small man and increases for the big; the eliminating of political patronage; refunding of government debt at lower interest rates—this is the rather pedestrian program of the new government. But what it will actually do in office, where it will wander in search of the abundant life which it has promised everyone, no one can foresee, not even the government."

ALEX. PENMAN KILLED IN ACTION

Word was received during the week by Mrs. Penman that her husband, Alex. Penman, had been killed in action.

Alex. was member of the family of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Penman, formerly of Frank and now of Blairmore. Surviving are his wife, formerly Alice Hornquist, now residing with her aunt, Mrs. R. W. H. Pinkney, and assistant nurse at the Blairmore hospital; his parents; and three sisters, Mrs. A. Vejprava, of Blairmore, Mrs. W. Goussang, of Blairmore, Mrs. Grace Penman, of Bellevue, to all of whom we extend sympathy.

Alex. was very well known throughout the Crow's Nest Pass.

THREE-SIDED RACES IN THIS CONSTITUENCY

With nominations to be placed in the hands of John Dudley, returning officer, at the Court House tomorrow (Saturday, the 29th), between 12 noon and 2 p.m., three candidates are in the field for the Finch Creek-Crows' Nest constituency for the forthcoming election, namely: Enoch Williams, of Blairmore, Labor Unity; Rev. W. H. Irwin, of Bellevue, CCF; and E. O. Duke, of Hillcrest, Social Credit.

The battle is now on.

WIDENING ROAD TO COLEMAN TENNIS COURTS

The Coleman town council are this week using a tractor to widen the road leading past the tennis courts to the site of the new curling arena. The road will be widened to allow two cars to pass. During the early part of the week the tractor was used on the street alongside the Atkinson and Wilson residences on Fourth St.

PLAN TO BY-PASS BANFF BRINGS STRONG PROTEST

Engineers from the parks administration are surveying a diversion route of the Trans-Canada highway, which will by-pass Banff.

The projected route leaves the Athabasca crossing and continues west on the north side of the CPR to join the Banff-Lake Louise highway west of Banff.

Banff residents and business men have sent strong protests to Ottawa against any such by-pass of the town.

The Daignault family left on the early Thursday morning train to holiday at Cranbrook.

Mrs. S. McKay and son Alex. are holidaying with Mr. and Mrs. Tom McKay at Trail, BC.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Royle have again taken up residence in Blairmore, having purchased a house in the south-east of town.

In one of his addresses Mr. Harold Winch just tried to explain what winches were. He did not mention the nigger winch, however.

A son was born on July 27th to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Pangman (nee "Dollie" Evans, of Blairmore) at the Kootenay Lakes hospital, Nelson, BC.

Large numbers from this district attended the annual Castle River Stampede on Wednesday afternoon, and report having witnessed a good show.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Warner left by motor last night for Calgary, where they plan on spending a few days. They were accompanied by Mr. J. W. Gresham.

A Blairmore boy, Tommy Galvon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Galvon, of southeast Blairmore, and former employee of the Blairmore Treasury Branch, is reported killed in action overseas following air operations.

STATEMENT OF LABOR UNITY CANDIDATE for Finch Creek - Crows' Nest

7. Further legislation to protect the family farm from foreclosure and crushing debt, and security of tenure for every farmer. Insurance against crop failure and setting up of marketing boards under government control. A guaranteed minimum price to be set. Government assistance to existing and proposed farm co-operatives. 8. Increase of provincial educational grants to enable the payment of higher salaries to school teachers, thus ensuring a higher standard of education for our children. A fund to provide scholarships for talented children likely to be retarded by lack of finances.

AN OPPORTUNITY FOR WOMEN

The Salvation Army Red Shield Women's Auxiliary, which has done a magnificent job since the outbreak of the war in bringing warmth and comfort to our fighting forces and to thousands of "bombed-outers" in England, is now planning an expansion of its activities. No organization connected with the Salvation Army ever does anything by halves, and it is to be hoped that Canadians will respond wholeheartedly to the national appeal which will be made by the Red Shield Women's Auxiliary for clothing to be used after the war for the relief of destitute Europeans.

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The reason for such a membership is obvious: The Red Shield Women's Auxiliary needs more than a million and a half articles of clothing by the end of this year. It is conservatively estimated that 1,365,000 articles of clothing and comforts are required for destitute victims of Nazi terror. The Salvation Army, in its work of mercy, has given its pledge that the necessities will be forthcoming. These include clothing for men, women and children, bedding and hospital supplies.

Could anything be more important than this humanitarian work? That it will be done successfully is assured by the leadership of Mrs. George W. Peacock, national president of the Salvation Army Red Shield Auxiliary. Mrs. Peacock points the way: let each community do its part. If three or four women will meet in some one's home, in a church parlor or elsewhere, a group is started. The idea will spread like wildfire.

The policy of the Red Shield Auxiliary is never to send overseas anything the members would not wear themselves. Care is taken to make the clothing attractive as well as serviceable, and ingenuity is shown in "making over" or "making do." Red Shield groups are glad to receive contributions of heavier outer garments which can be made over into children's coats, ski suits, and other wearing apparel.

Women anxious to do something toward the relief of the millions in Europe have a splendid opportunity under the auspices of the Salvation Army Red Shield Auxiliary. They can spread good-will by helping the unfortunate people of war-torn lands to get a fresh start.

5. Establishment of an alcohol distillery in the farming area to utilize the grain surplus of the farmers in this constituency.

6. Enforcement of labor legislation regarding the legal right of workers to collective bargaining and union recognition, and to increase protection of mine and factory workers. Extension of social services and the institution of an adequate industrial Pension scheme, to enable workers to retire on reaching the age of 60 years thereby giving younger men an opportunity to secure employment. The immediate setting up of an Alberta Department of Labor with a Minister directly responsible to the Trade Union.

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9. Development of coal mining by proper means, to bring prosperity to Alberta generally and to the Finch Creek-Crows' Nest area in particular. The coal mining industry ranks second in Alberta and has not been given support in relation to its importance. Provincial legislature should provide a practical coal policy.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

Six small silver cream jugs, made in London between 1759-1768 brought \$616 at an auction. They were designed in the shape of corn.

It is estimated that the big attack on Leipzig during February, 1944, in which 18 R.C.A.F. bombers were lost, cost Canada more than \$6,000,000.

Canadian school children who have bought war savings stamps have provided the Royal Canadian Air Force with some 35 various types of aircraft.

At February 29, 1944, there were more than 245,000 Canadian personnel serving overseas, including more than 800 members of the Canadian Women's Army Corps.

Restrictions on the display of place-name signs in Britain have been relaxed. The ban now is limited to those which can be seen and understood from low-flying aircraft.

Air Vice-Marshal Harry Broadhurst, who commanded the desert air force from Tripoli onwards, commands one of the fighter groups of the Second Tactical Air Force in Normandy.

The Germans, in reprisal for Greek guerrilla action, have destroyed more than 1,000 localities in Greece, leaving more than 1,500,000 people without shelter, the British Broadcasting Corporation said.

The second meeting of the Council of the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration will open at Montreal, Canada, Sept. 15, it was announced by UNRRA Director General Herbert H. Lehman.

Soil Composition

Nature's Method For Mixing Proper Minerals To Promote Growth

Now that the vegetables (and weeds) are growing so rapidly in our Victory Gardens, your reporter became curious concerning the minerals which make up the soil. Upon enquiry at the Royal Ontario Museum, he learned that, while soil is made up of the commonest minerals, the roles which they play in promoting plant growth are not very well known. Good soil should contain some of the clay minerals, but plant growth is not luxuriant on china clay alone. The principal function of the clay is to absorb and hold moisture. It is known that certain mineral species (zeolites) absorb and give up some of the chemicals that are necessary for plant growth. Along with these minerals is a certain amount of decayed vegetable matter which serves as plant food and an absorbent of moisture. The Museum does not exhibit these minerals as they appear in the soil but many fine specimens of clay minerals—zeolites, quartz, and feldspar—are on display in its galleries. Your reporter became intrigued with thoughts of how Old Mother Nature produced these minerals, broke them into billions of particles and thoroughly mixed them together, a pinch of this and a dash of that, just the proper amount so that vegetables (and weeds) might grow.

Qualified For Job

But Dutch Captain's Wife Not Allowed On Invasion Ship

The captain of a Netherlands coastal ship carrying gasoline to the Normandy beachhead has one complaint about the invasion. Netherlands officials would not let him be accompanied by his wife who for five years has sailed aboard his ship as stewardess. Officials feared that the invasion operation might put too great a strain on her.

So, much to her regret, she had to be left behind though she is qualified to take part in such operations. For she is the only Dutch woman who holds a merchant ship's gunnery licence and is as keen and effective a gunner as any man. After her final tests on a shore-based shooting range, authorities sent her flowers and a special letter of congratulation.

She has been in action before this. Once the ship picked up shipwrecked sailors while a fierce battle raged overhead. During the engagement the captain's wife stood at the helm for more than two hours, disregarding falling bombs and shrapnel, keeping the ship on its course.

AN ODD BELIEF

Our ancestors of not so many years ago believed that one slept better if the head of the bed pointed due north, in order that the body might be killed by the magnetic currents that were thought to flow from the North to the South Poles.

"Democracy At Work" For Airwomen



Around the council table at Princess Alice Barracks, Ottawa, representatives elected from among the 800 airwomen in residence, debate a measure before "the house." When passed by council and endorsed by the officer commanding, Flight Officer Marion Graham of Saskatoon, the measure will become "law". Patented after the government of Canada, the system gives airwomen an opportunity to have a voice in the management of their own barracks. Sergeant Isabel Turpin, (at extreme left hand corner) daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Turpin, Winnipeg, is president or "prime minister". Others, left to right around the table

are: Cpl. Alice Seward, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Jones of Glace Bay, N.S.; Cpl. Lillian Cochrane, whose husband IAC Claude Cochrane, is overseas with the R.C.A.F.; LAW S. Brown, daughter of Mrs. K. C. Brown, Toronto; LAW Dorothy Beaton, daughter of Mrs. R. Beaton, Winnipeg; LAW Margaret Al-laby, daughter of Mrs. Alaby, Saint John, N.B.; and Cpl. Margaret Poppleton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Poppleton, Melburn, Sask.; LAW Shirley McMaster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McMaster, Schumacher, Ont.; Cpl. Elizabeth Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Wilson, Toronto; Cpl. Kay Frew, sister

of Mrs. N. D. C. Thompson, Kirkland Lake, Ont.; LAW Geraldine Austin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. Austin, Halleybury, Ont.; Cpl. Eunice Adams, wife of Sgt. H. A. Adams, R.C.A.F. overseas, and daughter of Mr. F. L. Davies, Springfield, Sask.; LAW Grace Duffield, daughter of Mrs. J. S. Duffield, Lloydminster, Sask.; Cpl. Margaret Shaw, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Shaw, Point Edward, Ont.; LAW Vera Wilde, daughter of Mrs. R. Wilde, Montreal; LAW Kay Fletcher, daughter of Mr. R. A. Fletcher, Three Rivers, P.Q.; and Cpl. Marion Johnston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Johnston, Billings Bridge, Ont.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

JULY 30

GIDEON'S FAITHFUL FEW

Golden text: There is no restraint to the Lord to save by many or by few. I Samuel 14:6.

Lesson: Judges, Chapters 6, 7, 8.

Devotional Reading: Psalm 33:12-22.

Judges 7:4. And Jehovah said unto Gideon, The people are yet too many; bring them down unto the water, and I will try them for thee; and it shall be, that of whom I say unto thee, This shall go with thee, the same shall go with thee; and of whomsoever I say unto thee, This shall not go with thee, the same shall not go. And he brought down the people unto the water; and Jehovah said unto Gideon, Every one that lapped of the water with his tongue, as a dog lappeth, him shall thou set by himself; likewise every one that bowed down upon his knee to drink, & the number of them that lapped, putting their hand to their mouth, was three hundred men; but all the rest of the people bowed down upon their knees to drink water. And Jehovah said unto Gideon, By the three hundred men that lapped will I save you, and deliver the Midianites into thy hand; and let all the people go every man unto his place.

15 And it was so, when Gideon heard the telling of the dream, and the interpretation thereof, that he worshipped; and he returned into the camp of Israel; and said, Arise! for Jehovah hath delivered into your hand the host of Midian. 16 And he divided the three hundred men into three companies, and he put into the hands of all of them trumpets, and empty pitchers with torches within the pitchers. 17 And he said unto them, Look on me, and do likewise; and behold, when I come to the outmost part of the camp, it shall be that, as I do, so shall ye do. 18 And he blew the trumpet, and all that are with me, then blow ye the trumpets also on every side of all camp, and say, For Jehovah and for Gideon. 19 So Gideon, and the hundred men that were with him, came unto the outmost part of the camp in the beginning of the middle watch, when they had but newly set the watch; and they blew the trumpets, and brake in pieces the pitchers that were in their hands. 20 And the three companies blew the trumpets, and brake the pitchers, and held the torches in their left hands, and the trumpets in their right hands where-with to blow; and they cried, The sword of Jehovah and of Gideon. And they stood every man in his place round about the camp; and all the host ran; and they shouted, and put them to flight.

A WISE MAN
"Have you any chichory?" asked a visitor to a country hotel.

"Yes, sir."

"How many packets?"

"Six."

"Bring them to me."

The maid brought them.

"And that is really all you have?"

"Yes, sir."

"Good," replied the visitor. "Now will you make me a cup of coffee."

HOSPITAL SHIPS

Hospital ships, some of which are converted liners, are used in all phases of amphibious campaign to receive and treat the wounded and convey them back to port en route to hospitals.

Sight-Seeing In Berlin

Jokster Suggests Point Of Vantage From Which To View City

The latest joke on the Nazis heard in Spain concerns a meeting among an American, a Frenchman and a German.

The American boasted of the wonderful view from the Empire State Building in New York. The Frenchman, not to be outdone, spoke of seeing all of Paris from the Eiffel Tower. "That is nothing," said the German. "Anybody can see all of Berlin just by standing on a chair."

Each hair of a caribou's coat is a little quill filled with air. When swimming, the animal stands far out of the water, and even when shot does not sink.

For Use Of Troops

British War Office Is Expert On Nazi Uniforms

A small number of German uniforms are now being turned out by British manufacturers by order of the British War Office, according to British Information Services.

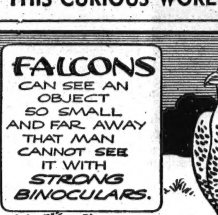
They are required as exhibits in "Know Your Enemy" intelligence rooms in army units for the use of troops in France.

The uniforms are designed and made under the supervision of the War Office who, advised by experts on enemy types of service clothing, give specifications to the manufacturers about the cut of the cloth for the various German regiments.

The next uniforms on the list will be Japanese.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



FALCONS CAN SEE AN OBJECT SO SMALL AND FAR AWAY THAT MAN CANNOT SEE IT WITH STRONG BINOCULARS.



WHAT IS THE FURLOIN OF MOSQUITO, DYNAMO, GROUSE, SPECIES, BEAU, MERCY?



ANSWER: Mosquitoes, dynamos, grouse, species, beaus, merces. FISH, being cold-blooded animals, usually have body temperatures approximately the same as that of the water in which they are swimming.

REG'LAR FELLERS—Sherlock, Jr.



The Way Home

American Doughboys Directed Back To Their Lines By A German Soldier

Three American doughboys driving in a jeep in the fluid battle area southeast of La Haye du puits beyond the forest of Mont Castray strayed unwittingly into the enemy positions and were directed back to their own lines by a German soldier, said a captured German officer.

The story related by the captured officer was as follows: The doughboys had lost their way. Seeing a soldier ahead, they asked for the nearest American position. Then they saw the soldier was a German non-commissioned officer. The German was so surprised that he pointed the way. A German anti-tank gun crew a few yards away was equally surprised.

Before they could size up the situation, the jeep with its three occupants roared around a bend in the road and disappeared in the direction of the American lines.

The first of the commercial steam engines that operated early industrial plants were lubricated with melted beef tallow.

Enemy Boosting

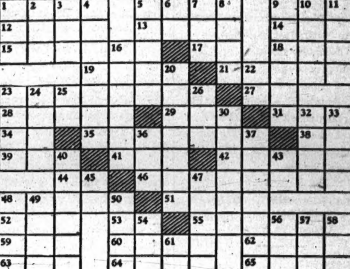
What The Germans Thought Before The Invasion Commenced

Berlin on Feb. 26, said: "Germany wants the invasion of the Continent to take place as soon as possible. The German nation as a whole, and particularly German troops, feel just as much impatience for the opening of the invasion as the Allies themselves. The reason is that the Germans realize that the issue at stake is nothing less than the end of the war."

"The German people share the view taken by Goebbels, who recently stated that failure of the invasion would mean defeat of Russia. In fact, the whole of the German population sincerely believes that failure of the invasion would mean not only defeat of Russia, but also the defeat of all the Allied nations. There is no longer any guessing about selected landing places for the invasion. There is such confidence placed on German troops behind strongly fortified positions, and provided with excellent war material, that everybody is firmly convinced the troops equipped with the defence of the Continent will successfully repel the enemy attack."

X-X OUR CROSSWORD PUZZLE X-X

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- 5 Seed coating
- 9 Beverage
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- 24 Symbol for actinium
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easy — ensures light,
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OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY—

Dude Sheriff

By TOM DOBSON

McClure Newspaper Syndicate

Old Sheriff Hearty was hopping mad. Outside, the mid-morning Panhandle sun was heating the temperature with a steady scorching smokes, but he didn't notice it; the redness of his broad leathery face was caused by a different fire—blazing righteous indignation. He flung the newspaper down and plumped into an office chair. From the floor the galling article leaped up at him: "With the conversion of the Circle Ranch into a dude farm," it said, "Smokestone becomes primarily a dude town instead of a cow town. As such it is fitting that certain changes be made. Among the first to conform should be the sheriff. It would increase the western atmosphere of the town considerably if he should replace his single shoulder-holstered gun with twin pearl-handled six-guns, carried in fancy leatherwork holsters, he could greet the incoming visitors effectively. An appropriate welcome speech could be worked out, possibly including an amusing anecdote of his experience in the 'Old West.' Another improvement should be..." "Danged meddling fools!" muttered Hearty. "Reckon they'd like me to talk about the time I shot an ear off Spider Lopes and then sent him, as ornery as a coyote as ever rode the Panhandle, away to the state pen for twenty years crying and swearing revenge with every breath he took. Only that wouldn't be good enough for them," he mumbled. "They'd want me to shoot off both his ears!" Abruptly he scooped the paper from the floor and stalked out. He'd tell that smart alecky editor a thing or two. Just outside the door he almost bumped into his quarry.

"Good morning, Old-Timer," greeted the youngster, and added, "That's your new name. Old-Timer! Picturesque hey?" "Picturesque be hanged," the old man exploded. "Look here, you..." "Uh-huh," the newspaper man interrupted. "I know just what you're going to say. You liked the write-up in the paper. And the reason you did is because we both want to see you re-elected sheriff when your term's up. Like to put my paper behind you. And I think I can, too, because I know you realize there's been a new deal around here; no more cattle ranches for this county, only dude farms. Of course the dude ranches are going to want you to continue as sheriff just as long as you enter into the new spirit of things."

"But..." "Let's step back into your office; I've brought along some things for you to try on." When the newsmen left half an hour later the sheriff sank once again into his comfortable armchair. A brace of shiny new pearl-handled pistols decorated his ample midsection, and his huge lips puckered out like those of a sulking schoolboy as he contemplated the railroad timetable before him. When the first train of the afternoon rolled to a stop beside the tiny station platform he and his star

deputy were on hand to greet it. Disembarking were as odd an assortment of tenderfeet as ever haunted a cowboy's dreams. Every stage of cowboy dress was represented, from expensive Hollywood versions to levis and work shirts. One swarthy-faced little old man with long black hair even sported a beret.

"Fellow westerners," the sheriff began uneasily, "I, as sheriff of Smokestone, welcome you to one of the last of the towns of the 'Old West.' We have..." he fumbled with a piece of paper in his hand "...we have here perhaps one of the most picturesque heritages of the entire cattle country. The little dried-up fellow in the beret was watching him closely now. Probably he was a professor of some kind—maybe a foreigner. "Those are fine guns you have there, Sheriff; may I see one?" he asked. "Very certainly, pardner," the sheriff's good-natured voice boomed. "That gun is mighty like the one I used to capture one of the meanest bandits that ever plagued the West twenty years ago..." Spider Lopes! "There was an excited ripple in the thrill-hungry crowd at this pronouncement. There was an excited ripple in the thrill-hungry crowd at this pronouncement.

"Then, Sheriff, you will not be surprised that Lopes has come back to settle his account with you!" The words hissed from the little man's thin lips. The sheriff's startled glance flashed up, and right into the muzzle of his own gun. "Yes. It is I, Lopes," continued the other. "For twenty years I've waited for this day. Quick, your other gun, drop it on the platform!" The sheriff moved forward. Awkwardly the little Mexican jerked up. The crowd fanned backward. It was the break the old lawman wanted. Instantly, like the uncoiling streak of a badlands rattler, his tanned hand flicked forward. Smashed down on Lopes's gun hand. The pearl-handled weapon spun, and over end, to land a dozen feet away. Quickly Hearty followed up. A heavy blow threw the bandit off balance and then the deputy was upon him, clamping handcuffs to his wrists.

"The crowd fanned backward, and he ducked into a print shop to dodge a flying bomb. It is a color print showing the British Army's use of flying rockets in 1830, 114 years ago."

He headed back for the jail, his old cheeks aglow with the satisfaction of a job well done. "Twenty years in that place must have made Lopes a mite stir-simple," he mumbled. "Just imagining him thinking I'd go and maul up them pretty new pearl-handled guns by putting bullets in 'em!"

Quite Definitely

German Naval Officer Says Hitler's Navy Has Been Sunk

Rear-Admiral Richard Gadow, retired German naval officer who is described as the principal spokesman for Hitler's navy, has effectively answered a question as to the whereabouts of his country's U-boats and heavy warships. "They are at the bottom of the sea," he stated. "The submarine arm was effectively defeated in 1943 when technical defences of the enemy put an end to our achievements." The admiral did not refer particularly to what had happened to the surface forces, but perhaps the Germans never counted very much on them anyway. So now that the German navy has thus been effectively disposed of, it is high time that a retired air marshal, with or without Hermann Goering's blessing, should tell us what has become of the Luftwaffe.

Montreal Gazette.

The Aleutian islands take their name from a Russian word meaning bold rock.

Sacrificed His Life

Indian Officer Saved Lives Of
Commanded By Heroic Act

An Indian officer who flung himself on a mine that was about to explode in order to save the lives of six comrades is the first Indian to win the George Cross. Subedar Subramanian, of the Madras Sappers and Miners, was in charge of a mine clearing company which had been ordered to search for a missing Jamsudor who was believed to have walked into a minefield near Milgani, Italy. Subramanian was operating the mine detector when a small explosion occurred. Realizing that someone had trodden on an anti-personnel mine, and that within four seconds the candlestick would be blown into the air and explode, he rushed towards the mine and flung himself on the top of it, at the same time trying to knock his comrades aside. The force of the explosion was largely neutralized by the subedar's body and six lives were saved as a result. The subedar was killed.

Subedar Subramanian has now been awarded the George Cross posthumously for "conspicuous gallantry in performing hazardous work in a very brave manner." He had already won the Indian Distinguished Service Medal in North Africa in 1943—Indian Information Office.

Has Been Real Home

Beaver Club In London Means Much To Canadian Soldiers

The big, tough Canadian soldier who may have given his mother a good many headaches in his time, does a lot of thinking about that same little woman when he is over there, thousands of miles away from home. The Beaver club in London, just off Piccadilly, can prove that. Last year before Mother's Day, Canadian servicemen sent more than \$11,000 worth of cables home, and that's a lot of love and good wishes at reduced cable rates. This Christmas they spent more than \$13,000 for cables home, most of them addressed to mothers.

There's something about the Beaver club that sets men thinking about home. The lounges are big and friendly and the men usually meet someone from their own home town. In the reading room, there are newspapers from more than 30 Canadian towns and cities and no one who hasn't been overseas can know what a hometown paper means. When the club celebrated its anniversary of its founding, the King and Queen came to call and to say that they knew what the big cheerful centre has meant to men away from home, since it opened its door Feb. 19, 1940. The institution, partially financed by Canadian Y.M.C.A., is supported and engineered by a board of Canadian directors in London.

VALUES GIFT

General Eisenhower offered framed and put in his caravan headquarters a gift from four correspondents attached to him. The crowd fanned backward when they ducked into a print shop to dodge a flying bomb. It is a color print showing the British Army's use of flying rockets in 1830, 114 years ago.

Captured German Beetle Tank



Lieut. Ernest H. Willis, Wolverhampton, Staffordshire, England, with the control box of a captured German Beetle Tank. On the box are buttons to control the movements of the tank and a key to set off the charge when it reaches its objective.

Food For Britain

New Canadian Contribution To
Supplies Of United Kingdom
Has Been Announced

An immense new Canadian contribution to the food supplies of the United Kingdom was announced by Agriculture Minister Gardiner, who said Canada would ship a minimum 100,000,000 pounds of beef in 1944 and 1945 and as much additional supplies as were surplus in the dominion.

Already Canada is supplying the United Kingdom with food under two-year bacon, cheese and egg contracts. Mr. Gardiner estimated the beef shipments—which will be the equivalent of 250,000 cattle—might have a total value of \$30,000,000. Prices established under the contract will mean a constant floor throughout the year for producers' sales of cattle.

Red and blue brand beef will be bought for export to an agreed quantity by the Canadian meat board on the basis of 25 cents below their respective ceilings as established for zones throughout Canada under prices board regulations. If further supplies are offered, they will be bought at the rate of 50 cents below the ceiling.

Lower quality beef will be bought at established rates at points further under the ceiling.

The Minister said 53,000,000 pounds of beef already have been shipped under the agreement, although the contract has just been signed. Shipments made since last fall are being counted in the total.

He said that the export shipments would not be sufficient to require a rationing of meat rationing in the dominion. Canada now has 10,000,000 cattle, and former shipments to the United States on the basis of about 200,000 head annually were suspended in 1942.

Top shipments of cattle to the United Kingdom in pre-war years amounted to about 40,000 head.

Producing Penicillin

Plant In Montreal Is Now Making
The Wonder Drug

The first building to be erected in the Dominion for the specific purpose of producing penicillin will be in full scale operation in the near future, officials announced in Montreal.

The plant, government owned but managed by Ayerst, McKenna and Harrison, Ltd., already in turning out the "wonder drug" but officials said it will not be operating at top production capacity for awhile, when a group of laboratories being erected on the outskirts of the city are fully completed.

Bombers Improved

Britain's Typhoon Carries Double
Load Of Medium Bomber

R.A.F. Typhoon fighter-bombers now carry a 1,000-pound bomb under each wing—twice their former load and more than double that of the medium bomber Britain was using at the start of the war—the air ministry disclosed. After dropping its bombs the Typhoon can go in at 400 miles an hour with devastating fire from four 20-millimetre cannon.

Blended for Quality

"SALADA" TEA

Borrowed Name

Magus Used By French Under-
ground Were Common Bandle

The Magus, the French underground fighting organization which is causing the Germans so much trouble in southern France took its name from the appellation bestowed upon Corsican bandits in Napoleon's time. The word (pronounced mace) means underground, particularly the thick brushwood that grows in Corsica and that furnished the bandits good hiding places.

Among the leaders of the Magus are high officials of the French Army who refused to bow to Nazi domination as relayed through Petain's Vichy government—New York Herald Tribune.

SMILE AWHILE

Gloria: "Was your uncle's mind
vigorous and sane to the last?"

Harold: "I don't know. The
will won't be read until tomorrow."

Judge—Guilty or not guilty?
Defendant—Guilty, your honor.

Judge—Very well, I'm giving
you the maximum penalty. I'm
letting you go free to worry about
taxes, rationing, shortages, and
everything like the rest of us.

Naomi: "I'll bet you 20 dollars
that I'll never marry you."

Frank: "I'll take you."

Naomi: "Will you really? Then
I won't bet after all!"

"Call that a kind man?" said an
actor, speaking of an absent ac-
quaintance, "a man who is away
from his family and never sends
them a cent! Call that kindness?"
"Yes, unimpaired kindness,"
said his friend.

Applicant—I'm sorry I've lost
Lady Bigger's reference, but these
created spoons will show I worked
there.

Customer—That lawn mower I
bought last summer is all rusted.
Owner of Hardware Store—May-
be that's because there's so much
dew on it.

Fashion note: There will be little
change in men's pockets this year.

"What about this 'ere universal
disarmament, Bill?"

"Why, it's summat like me and
my old woman. When there's a
bit of a shindy brewin' the one
wot proposes peace is the one wot
ain't got 'old of the poker."

The teacher was trying to make
Elsie understand subtraction and
she said: "You have ten fingers,
now supposing there were three
missing what would you have
then?"

"No music lessons," said Elsie
promptly.

A recent advertisement states:
"It took twelve thousand workers
to put that bottle of milk at your
door."

Yes, it sounded as though it did.

"Did you notice that woman in
front of us with the chinchilla
coat?"

"Er—no, my dear. Fact is, I
was dozing most of the time."
"A lot of use you going to
church!"

"Say," said the woman customer
over the telephone, "the next time
I order chicken, don't send me any
more airplane fowl!"

"What do you mean—airplane
fowl?" said the butcher.
"You know what I mean; all
wings and machinery and no body."

Buy War Savings Stamps regularly.

Tragedy Of Germany

Smiles And Laughter Regarded As
Signs Of Weakness

In a recent article, the German-born author, Emil Ludwig, for many years an exile from Naziland, has this illuminating comment:

"If I were asked for a slogan for the victorious armies as they enter Berlin, it would be: 'Don't smile.' The victor is a lord—a lord who does not smile, but commands. A smiling man never has a following in Germany."

Therein lies the tragedy of Germany. In Germany, trained and nurtured on a doctrine of "blood and iron," fanatically devoted to the grim, cruel business of war, smiles and laughter are regarded as a sign of weakness—softness of heart and head!

Prime Minister Churchill has aptly described the Germans. "They are," he said, "either at your throat or at your feet." Swaggering bullies and thugs in victory, cringing and whining in defeat.

Regarding themselves as the "master race" and as "lords to command all others," they have long stifled all humor and healthy laughter. In a country more concerned with living than in looting and killing their neighbors, a motley group of upstarts like Hitler and his gang would have been ridiculed out of existence long before they had a chance to come to power.—Halifax Herald.

Toddler's Pattern



By ANNE ADAMS

Little heartbreaker! A captivating toddler costume — the toddler sundress takes only 1 yard! Matching bonnet, dirty panties included.

Pattern 4834 comes in children's sizes: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6. Size 6, sunbonnet and bonnet, takes 1 1/2 yards 35-inch material. Send twenty cents (20c) in coins (stamps cannot be accepted) for this pattern. Write plainly Name, Address and Style Number and send orders to the Anne Adams Pattern Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermott Ave. E., Winnipeg, Man. "Because of the slowness of the mails delivery of our patterns may take a few days longer than usual."

ALWAYS A BURDEN

The Victoria Colonist says no system that is devised for public or private security will ever turn a lazy man into an industrious one, or a spendthrift into a provident individual. Hanging as dead-weight on all such schemes will be found those who will be active neither in their own affairs nor in the affairs of any other, human driftwood on the great tide of life.

The Australian white ant has a voracious appetite for cellulose and gnaws through telegraph poles, books, fences and everything containing a trace of it.

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weak, nervous irritability, are a
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NEW BOOKLET SATIRES
SOCIALISTIC CONTROLS

An amusing booklet with a core of serious truth is "Too Much Fapa," by Harriet Clark, just published by Forward Publishing Company Limited, Toronto. The "fapa" of the title is Government and he is pictured on the cover riding on the back of his son, the average citizen.

Miss Clark's satire visualizes a Canada in which government control over the citizens' lives has been made complete except for a few "non-co-operative" blocs who still prefer to choose their own clothes and food and manner of living. She pictures, in dialogue form, the trials of a small shopkeeper under the new dispensation, harassed by orders and directives from various controllers and administrators. With allowance for humorous exaggerations, the picture is a reasonably accurate representation of some of the problems imposed on business by present wartime controls, but accepted as temporary necessities.

The moral of the satire is expressed in a quotation from Lord Macaulay: "Nothing is so galling to a people, not broken in from birth, as a paternal or, in other words, a meddling government, a government which tells them what to read and say and eat and drink and wear."

PRICE CONTROL IS NECESSARY

Those who are inclined to be too critical of the price control measures, particularly as they concern food, should get a great deal of consolation from reading figures covering the cost of foodstuffs in Newfoundland, where, for a variety of reasons, price control has not been put into effect. These prices, which are reminiscent of those which prevailed during the Klondike gold rush, were compiled in the city of St. John's. They are as follows:

Eggs 50 cents to \$1.20 a dozen; round steak 60 cents to 65 cents a pound; sausage 40 cents to 45 cents a pound; chickens 65 cents a pound; turkey 70 cents a pound; bacon 65 cents to 75 cents a pound; raw ham 80 cents a pound; parboiled ham \$1.10 a pound; cold meat 80 cents to \$1.10 a pound; tinned salmon 55 cents a pound; tinned lobster \$1.00 a pound; tea 85 cents a pound.

Cream \$1.80 a pint; milk 34 cents a quart; canned milk 18 cents a tin.

White beans 12 cents a pound; dates 60 cents a pound; raisins 35 cents a pound.

Oranges \$1.00 a dozen; apples 50 cents a dozen; grapefruit 13 cents to 15 cents each; carrots 18 cents a pound; cabbage 15 cents to 20 cents a pound; parsnips 18 cents a pound.

Sugar 12 cents a pound; butter 30 cents to 35 cents a pound; butter (imported) 85 cents a pound; soft coal \$24.50 a ton; hard coal \$30 a ton.

If prices such as those quoted above prevailed in Canada at the present time, the life of the government would depend only on the speed with which the electors could reach the ballot boxes.—Lacombe Globe.

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A young mother, who prides herself on keeping tuned to the times, was preparing to take her ten-year-old son to the movies. The son watched dubiously as she prepared her coiffure in accord with a new mode. Finally he asked: "Mother, you aren't going to wear your hair that way, are you?"

The mother replied such was her intentions, adding that she thought it made her look sophisticated.

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The accused had been found guilty. Judge: "Have you anything to say before I pass sentence?"

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That lady victory gardener who mixed up her seeds and had to label her rows "Wait and See" is now picking flowers instead of vegetables.

Haven't you
ever talked over
the back fence?

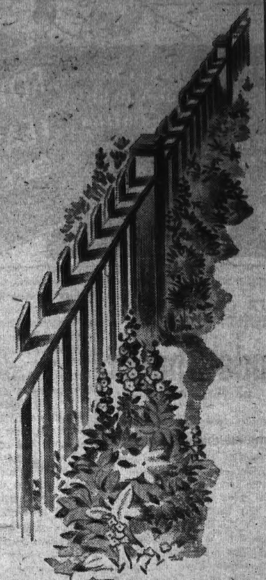
MAYBE you have a neighbour who doesn't know what it's all about when it comes to raising cucumbers. Or perhaps he hasn't a knack with roses. So you tell him what spray to get, or you give him a little lesson in pruning. And next thing you know he says: "I'm certainly sold on that advice you gave me."

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The Weather

THERE IS A WELL-KNOWN SAYING to the effect that everyone talks about the weather but no one does anything about it. It is true that no means have ever been discovered for regulating the weather, and it remains a constant hazard to the undertakings of men and nations. The people of Western Canada know too well the important part which weather plays in the production of crops and they know that, in many instances, it alone determines whether we are to have good or bad times. Many farmers have seen their crops, the results of months of labour, destroyed in a few minutes by the elements. The people of the West also know the ravages of drought, when prolonged lack of moisture changed the whole aspect of life in many prairie districts.

Has Effect On World Events

The weather can change the course of events for nations as well as for individuals, and it is always an important consideration in the carrying out of naval, military, and air operations. The successful evacuation of the British forces from Dunkirk could not have been accomplished had the weather been unfavourable. Four years later, the weather again determined, to a large extent, the success of the Allied landings in France on "D" Day, for it is considered to be the factor most in importance to enemy resistance, in amphibious warfare. General Eisenhower has become famous for his "weather luck", since the Allied landings in North Africa, Sicily and Italy were all aided by favourable weather conditions. Subsequently, it has been reported, that abnormal moisture in France during the early summer considerably retarded the speed of the Allied advance.

Forecasts An Aid To Flying

Weather is also a factor of paramount importance in aviation, and this is one field in which its effects, to some degree, can be controlled. In recent years, weather bureaux have been set up in many parts of the world, and it has been possible for flyers to receive detailed information regarding weather conditions over the routes they are to travel. Through this service many lives and much valuable equipment is saved each year. Canada has a highly efficient meteorological service and at present its activities are devoted largely to providing forecasts for aviation. The staff of this bureau has been increased to more than ten times its original size in the last seven years, and it is expected that the need for these expanded facilities will continue in the post-war period, when many of the main air routes of the world will be in the skies over the Dominion and the weather here will be a matter of widespread interest.

Health LEAGUE OF CANADA + TOPICS OF VITAL INTEREST

WHOLESGOME RECREATION

"Teen Clubs" are popping up all over the Canadian neighborhood as an answer to the demand for wholesome community recreational resorts. They are the counterpart of the "teen-age night club" which are being organized widely in the United States.

Young people themselves are taking the initiative, and in a number of instances, church halls or basements have offered accommodation for these "juvenile hangouts".

Teen Clubs are intended to overcome the situation of "Saturday night and no place to go"—except the less acceptable places. The clubs offer opportunities for cheer and jive, being equipped with gramophones or even juke boxes. The more advanced clubs go in for handcrafts, amateur drama, hobbies, photography and other interests. One of the largest and most successful in Canada is operated in association with a suburban church in Winnipeg. Adult supervision of an obtrusive kind is offered until closing time at midnight.

A COSTLY PROJECT

Costliest engineering project in the world from the economic standpoint probably was a bridge built for a railroad in Australia. Only one train has passed over it in 55 years, although it cost \$100,000. Authorities decided on another route, avoiding the bridge, after this initial run.

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Lard Surplus

Nearly Ten Million Pounds Have Been Shipped To Russia

Shipments of nearly 10,000,000 pounds of Canadian lard have been made to Russia, relieving a surplus situation which had developed in the Dominion, it was learned.

The supplies are being forwarded under mutual aid arrangements, it was understood.

Officials said that early this year the accumulation of lard supplies—a reflection of the heavy marketings of livestock—had posed a major problem.

On March 1, 1943, total lard holdings were 2,300,000 pounds. On Jan. 1 this had increased to 4,500,000 pounds, and then the total rose to 9,800,000 pounds on Feb. 1 and 15,800,000 on March 1.

Authorities sought export outlets for lard supplies but by April 11 the total was reported at more than 19,000,000 pounds.

Since then exports to Russia and limited shipments elsewhere has reduced the total "substantially", officials said.

They said that details of export shipments could not be given immediately for security reasons.

The accumulation of a lard surplus caused anxiety because the storage space was urgently required for other purposes and there was fear a decline in lard values might result in a weakening of hog prices.

Flying Bomb Inventor

Austrian Professor Said To Be The Man Who Had The Idea

The man mainly responsible for the development of the "robot bomb" is an Austrian professor, Herman Oberth, influential except for a small mousethale.

Now in his 50's, Oberth was once the sound-and-science-effects man in charge of the use of fireworks and explosives for UFA films. Reportedly an anti-Nazi at one time, he has been working on flying bombs and rocket machines for the past seven years, under special orders from Hitler and Goering.

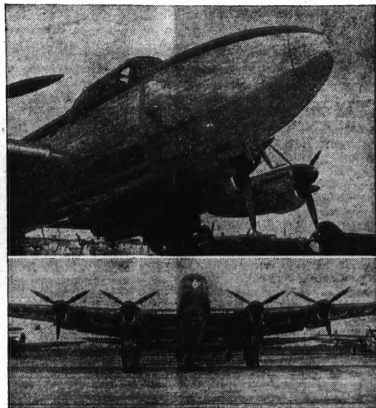
Two years before the war, Oberth called on Gen. Kesselring with a mass of blueprints and models. Kesselring, after some tests, submitted a report to Goering, with the result that Oberth was given the run of the Wehrmacht's scientific laboratories and a special panel of Nazi research workers, radio men, aeronautical engineers, and inventors were put at his disposal as consultants. Shortly thereafter European scientific circles began to hear of new experiments in the Oberth catapult-plane technique.—Newsweek Magazine.

MUSEUM RESTORED

The Florentine halls in the Palazzo Venezia, where popes once walked and which Mussolini in 1927 commandeered for personal use as a "private office" including the famed balcony overlooking the Venetian Square, have been restored to their former function as a section of the Museum of Italian Renaissance Art.

Egypt had beauty salons as far back as 3,200 B.C.

Mail For The Forces Overseas



In Normandy, in Italy, wherever they may be, Canadian forces overseas get mail from home quicker because of the big Lancaster transports operated by Trans-Canada Air Lines in the Canadian Government's trans-Atlantic service. And from the fronts mail comes quicker to the folk at home.

More than 50,000,000 letters have been carried in 95 crossings of the Atlantic—less than a year's operation. With four aircraft in service, three round trips are now made each

Canadian Bacon

Heavy Purchases Are Made For Shipments To Britain

Canadian Meat Board purchases of bacon for the United Kingdom to July 1 totalled 464,000,000 pounds, although the total minimum commitment for the calendar year is only 500,000,000 pounds, it was learned.

The United Kingdom is taking all the bacon which can be made available by Canada. Under a two-year agreement Canada agreed to supply a minimum of 900,000,000 pounds in the years 1944 and 1945, but assured that every effort would be made to provide additional quantities.

Because of the enormous deliveries of hogs to market in every province, it is not apparent now that the minimum requirements of the two years may be met in one, which would mean the purchase of 900,000,000 pounds of bacon for the United Kingdom in 1944.

"As things stand it looks very much as though we will be able to buy 800,000,000 pounds at least," one authority said.

Canadian bacon production to the end of 1943 had been described as "startling", but officials said it now appeared certain that even better records would be made in shipments this year.

An All-Round Shooter

Army Photographers Handled Machine Gun As Well As Camera

The army spirit captures the imagination and the enthusiasm of all classes of recruits who volunteer for service in any capacity—and even the army photographers are not immune.

That was an interesting story which came out of Italy, regarding the Army photographer who captured 19 Nazis. Allied troops were making contact with French forces driving up below Valmontone. The photographer was on the spot to get hot pictures, when he ran across the Nazis in a house along the highway. He killed two with a machine gun and captured the other 18.

It is not said whether he took their pictures; but if he can "shoot" with a camera as well as he shoots with a machine gun, he probably did both jobs in the same tour of duty.

What Might Happen

Scientists Say That The Sun May Explode Like Other Astral Bodies

Here's something else for chronic worriers to worry about. The American Astronomical Society has received from Dr. D. B. McLaughlin computations to show what would happen if the sun became a nova. (Any star may become a nova by exploding, and such explosions are fairly frequent.) According to Dr. McLaughlin, if the sun exploded it would shine about 100,000 times more brightly than usual for about ten days. This would create so much heat that the earth's surface would boil and rocks would turn to liquid and vapor. Optimists will be glad to note, however, that this would not carry the earth to a depth of about seven miles.—Brantford Express.

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Story Of A Gilder

Got Turned Around And Went In The Wrong Direction

One of the amusing incidents of D-Day was staged on the station of Group Captain "Jamie" Rankins, D.S.O. and Bar, D.E.C. and Bar, the famous Battle of Britain pilot.

A big gilder, filled with troops, was being towed across to France. In mid-Channel and in pitch darkness the tow rope broke.

The gilder, involuntarily, made what is known as a "reciprocal turn", and continued under its own impetus. Soon it crossed the English coast again and made a neat landing.

What followed was told to me by an R.A.F. Flying Control sergeant who had dashed out to the runway to investigate.

"Before I could reach the gilder out sprang several excited men, faces blackened, armed to the teeth and pointing their Tommy guns at me. They completely surrounded me, yelling 'Achtung! Achtung! you (so-and-so) at the top of their voices.' 'And where the hell do you think you are?' I yelled back.

"Blimey, mate!" said one of them. This bloke speaks English as well as I do. What part of France is this, chum?"—London Express.

Big Achievement

Hitler's Pledge For Retaliation Against The Allies

A big achievement of the German flying bomb offensive has been that it has saved the Nazi regime—at least temporarily—from an internal crisis of the utmost gravity, according to reports from Germany.

The situation is frankly stated in the latest issue of Das Schwarze Korps, mouthpiece of the "Elite Corps."

In an article discussing aspects of internal morale during months of waiting for fulfillment of Hitler's pledge of retaliation for Allied destruction of German cities, the publication declares this pledge involved for the Nazis "a question of prestige and a test of strength of the highest order."

A failure to launch the promised retaliation, Das Schwarze Korps adds, would have been catastrophic, for the Nazi regime would "have lost a good share of its standing—above all among its own people."

Despite the success claimed for the weapon, the paper lays the groundwork for possible later disillusionment and warns against being lulled by the "success" of whom success won't be swift enough and the results insufficiently impressive.

Fashions In Songs

Those Germans Marched To Are Now Out Of Date

In 1940 the Germans had a marching song of it was "We March Against England." But that song grew a bit out of date.

So they brought out a new one called "Die Wacht Am Kanal" (The Watch on the Channel).

Now since the Allies have been kicking sand from the beaches of Cherbourg into the gears of the German war machine, the Germans will have to change their tune again.

A revival of "The Watch on the Rhine" might be more appropriate—but not for long.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

AMBITION

No bird soars too high if he soars with his own wings.—William Blake.

He that resolves upon any great and good end, has, by that very resolution, scaled the chief barrier to it.—Tryon Edwards.

We want an aim that can never grow vile, and which cannot disappoint our hope. There is but one such on earth, and that is of being like God.—B. Brooke.

The very fruit of the gospel is aspiration. It is to the heart what spring is to the earth, making every root, and bud, and bough desire to be more.—H. W. Beecher.

What grander ambition is there than to maintain in yourselves what Jesus loved, and to know that your example, for more than words, makes morale for mankind!—Mary Baker Eddy.

Resolve to be thyself; and know, that he who finds himself, loses his misery.—Matthew Arnold.

Chapter Of Horrors

Massacre Many Women And Children In Reprisal

Cold-blooded massacres of virtually the entire populations of the French village of Distomo and the Greek village of Oradour sur Glane, and burning of both towns by vengeance-mad German soldiers were reported in the accounts reaching New York.

The Greek puppet government announced the Distomo slaughter, in which 1,000 persons died, saying it occurred on June 10, the second anniversary of the massacre and destruction of Lidice in Czechoslovakia.

The story of the French village, 12 miles northwest of Limoges in Central France, came from the BBC, which said 1,000 out of a population of 1,300 were slain.

The Greek puppet communiqué, a copy of which was received recently in Izmir (Smyrna), Turkey, said the populace was shot and the town burned in reprisal for the deaths of 30 German soldiers in a fight with Greek Eam and Andartis guerrillas the previous day.

At Lidice, which the Germans themselves announced was destroyed in reprisal for the assassination of Reinhard Heydrich, "protector" of Bohemia-Moravia, the men were killed and the women and children carried away.

But at Distomo, according to information received from Greeks in Izmir, men, women and children were slaughtered impersonally.

This account said that after the guerrilla battle on June 9, German SS (Elite Guard) troops on the afternoon of June 10 surrounded Distomo, herded all inhabitants into the public square, and there machine-gunned them.

Then, the account said, German troops walked among the massed corpses, firing pistol bullets into the head of every body they touched, and trampling the life out of any infants who had been shielded by their mothers' bodies. Then they burned the village down over its dead.

Representatives of the Red Cross were not allowed near the spot until June 14, the report said, and then they found only a few half-mad children who had hidden in the woods.

The BBC account of the French village, recorded in New York by CBS, said:

"The Germans demanded the surrender of patriots who had killed four German soldiers, and when there was no response, prepared to kill 50 hostages."

"The patriots replied with another attack on the Germans, who destroyed the entire village."

"People who took refuge in the village church were locked in and burned alive. Only 100 of the 1,300 inhabitants remain alive in the ruins of their homes."

Funerary services were held for the victims in the cathedral at Limoges, it said, and there city police found several bodies which were believed to have been planted by the Vicky militia.

Date and other circumstances of the French massacre were not given, but the funeral was said to have occurred June 22.

POPULATION COUNTS

The Sault Ste. Marie Star says: The statement is frequently made that Soviet Russia has done a better job than Canada in developing the north. It is probably correct and the Dominion could learn much from Soviet accomplishments in that regard. But in making the comparison it should also be remembered that the Soviet Union is a nation of 180,000,000 people as against Canada's 12,000,000.

Although its civilization goes back 4,000 years, China is one of the youngest republics in the world.



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Jap Cabinet Resigns In The Face Of Disaster

NEW YORK.—The government of Gen. Hideki Tojo resigned collectively as part of Japan's drastic overhauling of her political military commands in the face of mounting disaster, Tokyo announced, and Emperor Hirohito ordered Marquis Koichi Kido, home affairs minister, into an audience with a view to forming a new cabinet.

Kido was summoned July 18 (Japanese date), the same day Premier Tojo's cabinet tendered its resignation, a Domei dispatch said. Tojo, who led Japan into war against Britain and the United States less than two months after his cabinet was formed in October, 1941, had been considered his nation's supreme war lord.

Following a switch in the Japanese naval command, however, he was himself removed as chief of the army general staff and subsequently presented his resignation as premier and minister of war, along with the resignations of his lesser colleagues, to the emperor.

A statement by the Japanese board of information said, "We anticipate with great anxiety the appearance of a new, strong cabinet at this time."

Kido, a former minister of public welfare and of education, is one of the senior statesmen of Japan. He held the post of lord keeper of the privy seal when Prince Fumimaro Konoye's third Japanese government collapsed in the face of a grave impasse on national policy toward the United States and Russia in October, 1941.

Domei said that a meeting of former premiers had been called "to deliberate on the personnel of the new cabinet but did not indicate a decision was reached by the session."

NO COAL FOR ITALY

Deliveries Stopped And Existing Stocks Being Moved To Germany

LONDON.—The Germans have not only stopped all coal deliveries to Italy but are taking steps to move existing coal stocks to Germany, according to reports received here.

As industry in occupied Italy is dependent on German coal supplies since the liberation of Sardinia, this means the Germans have totally written off Italian industrial capacity as an asset.

It may also foreshadow preparations for an eventual German evacuation.

Evidence is also accumulating that industrial conditions in France are causing the Germans far greater concern than those in occupied Italy.

CANADIANS TRAIL

R.C. Man Only Winner At Athletic Meet Held In Rome

ROME.—Represented by an all-Canadian team, the 8th army trailed 11 service formations competing for Allied track and field championships in a great week-end athletic meet.

Sgt. Gene Bortolussi of Powell River, B.C., scored the only three points the 25 Canucks were able to scrape together for the 8th army when he was placed fourth in the 100 metres finals. A team made up principally of Fighting French athletes topped the lists.

The Canadians competed in the magnificent stadium built by Mussolini in the hope that one day an Olympic meet would be held there.

BAN IS LIFTED

But Sale Of Hot Air Furnaces Must Be Controlled

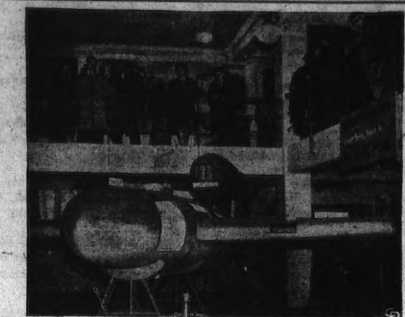
OTTAWA.—The Prices Board announced that a temporary "freeze" on sales of hot air furnaces is being lifted, enabling homeowners and builders who have certificates of essentiality to obtain new furnaces as soon as delivery can be arranged.

When the temporary "freeze" was announced June 20, it was explained that the action was taken because the supply could not meet the overall requirements for replacements and new buildings. The situation has not improved, the board warned, and close control of all sales must be continued.

FIGHTS FLYING BOMB

LONDON.—The man in charge of British rocket experiments in 1940-41 is chairman of the flying-bomb counter-measures committee announced by Prime Minister Churchill. He is the prime minister's son-in-law, Duncan Sandys.

Flying Bomb On Exhibit In London



London residents look down upon a full-size replica of a flying bomb shortly after it had been placed on exhibit at Dorland Hall in the British capital. Reports from abroad that the Nazi attacks with the robot weapons are still continuing despite the numerous preventive measures that have been taken by the British Air Ministry.

Exports Have Reached Peak Place This Year

OTTAWA.—Tiny steel eyelet in an officer's cap was found to have caused a deviation of several degrees when he was leaning over taking a compass bearing and hence the Canadian navy is doing away with steel hat fittings. This was disclosed in naval orders tabled in the commons.

Products exported during the six-month period were valued at \$1,746,000,000, compared with \$1,276,000,000 in the corresponding period of 1943, an increase of \$470,000,000.

More than one-third of the exports, or \$653,000,000 worth, went to the United Kingdom, compared with \$450,000,000 worth in the first six months of 1943. Value of exports to the United States totalled \$638,000,000 against \$522,000,000.

Some idea of the magnitude of Canada's contribution to the fighting strength of the Allies may be gathered from the items sent overseas, he said. Motor vehicles such as tanks and trucks had a value of \$234,000,000 or nearly \$60,000,000 more than a year ago.

"A vital necessity of war is food," he said. "Our wheat export at \$196,000,000 was a great advance over the \$80,000,000 of a year ago. Meats at \$117,000,000 have almost doubled, while flour at \$49,000,000 has risen from \$34,000,000."

WORLD SECURITY

League To Ensure Peace Will Be Discussed At Washington

WASHINGTON.—Secretary of State Cordell Hull announced that exploratory conferences on organization of a world security agency will be held here, probably early in August, but that Russian and Chinese representatives will not participate in the same meetings.

The decision of the Russians not to sit at the same conference table with the Chinese shows a continuation of the Soviet policy against actions which might prejudice Russian neutrality in the Pacific war.

The meetings were called by Mr. Hull on the basis of an agreement made by Britain, the United States, Russia and China at Moscow last fall for a conference on world security organization at the earliest possible moment.

Mr. Hull and President Roosevelt have laid down a program for making the United Nations a permanent organization with a council for a few powers and an assembly of all nations as the principal organizational units.

Both Mr. Hull and President have emphasized that the exploratory talks are not intended to produce any agreements of a formal nature. It is hoped, however, that they will produce the basic elements of a world security organization.

CHEBECHEZ LA FEMME

ALLIED SUPREMACY HEADQUARTERS.—Lieut. John C. Wilson, a Canadian tank captain who has fought in Normandy since D-day plus three, said in an interview that Allied forces were fired on by women snipers on some occasions.

BRITISH RESTAURANTS

LONDON.—British restaurants sponsored by the government, now number 2,082, and serve 553,000 meals daily.

SEED OIL PLANT

Vegetable Processing Plant To Be Built In Moose Jaw

MOOSE JAW.—Work on the new vegetable seed oil processing plant is expected to start in Moose Jaw early in August, according to information released.

Priorities have been obtained for all the necessary machinery, through the co-operation of the Canadian Agricultural Supplies Board, the fats and oil controller and the American War Food Administration Board. Part of the equipment is obtainable in Canada, and part is obtainable only in the United States.

L. H. Coyne, Chicago, architect and engineer, has just completed his survey work for the new plant and work is expected to start shortly after Aug. 1.

BERLIN REPLIES

Do Not Consider French Partisans Belong To Allied Armies

NEW YORK.—Gen. Eisenhower's warning to Germany that French Partisans were considered part of the Allied armies in France, brought a retort from Berlin that all French were bound by the French-German armistice, and that those who failed to abide by its terms would be dealt with accordingly.

Gen. De Gaulle issued instructions in an order broadcast from Algiers that all officers and non-commissioned officers of the former French army "join the French forces of the interior at once" and hold themselves in readiness for further orders.

Awarded Victoria Cross



—Canadian Army Photo.

A proud and grateful British Empire has honored Major John Keefe Mahony, V.C., 33, former newspaper reporter of New Westminster, who led a company of his hometown regiment in establishing a bridgehead over the Melfa River, Italy, on May 24 last, and of holding it against repeated tank and infantry counter attacks and the withering fire of German 88mm self-propelled guns, mortars, machine guns and rifle fire. Awarded the Victoria Cross, for his resourcefulness and personal courage, he is the third Canadian to receive this honor in this war.

Eisenhower Talks It Over With Keller



Gen. Dwight Eisenhower, supreme commander of the Allied Expeditionary Forces visits the Canadians in the field. Here Gen. Eisenhower chats with Maj.-Gen. R. F. L. Keller, commander of Canadian division in France.

Churchill's Son

Major Randolph Churchill, son of the prime minister, photographed in England where he returned recently after experiences abroad, including that at Tito's H.Q., when the Germans raided it.

Canada Plans To Wage War In The Pacific Area

OTTAWA.—Another hint of Canada's Pacific war plans was given with the announcement that Air Vice-Marshal L. F. Stevenson, who has already directed the fight against Japanese in the Aleutians, is heading an air mission to the East Asia theatre of operations.

An official announcement said merely the object of the mission was "to acquire information which would be of use to the R.C.A.F. should it be called upon to operate under climatic conditions with which it is not familiar."

It was reliably learned, however, that the former western air commander and his party are actually an R.C.A.F. advance guard and that the main purpose of their mission is to make preparations for the establishment of Canadian squadrons in that area and also possibly to make arrangements for a flow of trainees from the Commonwealth air training plan to the Pacific.

The Canadian army, following the practice it instituted in North Africa, has already sent a group of officers to the Pacific for training—ostensibly preparing the way for the day when Canadian formations will be engaged there.

As for the navy, it is known that the British are building up strength at Canadian Pacific bases and it is assumed the Canadian escort fleet, which plays such an important role on the Atlantic, will be available for Pacific service.

HEADS AIR CADETS

Wing Commander G. M. Ross Has Been Appointed National Director

OTTAWA.—The R.C.A.F. announced the appointment of Wing Cmdr. G. M. Ross of Ottawa as national director of the Air Cadet League of Canada, succeeding Group Capt. D. C. M. Hume, retired.

Before his appointment with the Air Cadet League Wing Cmdr. Ross was officer commanding No. 2 wireless school, Calgary.

In 1930 he was president of the Moose Jaw, Sask., flying club. In 1941 he commanded the flying squadron at No. 5 bombing and gunnery school, Dufur, Sask., and early this year was chief instructor at No. 2 bombing and gunnery school, Mossbank, Sask.

USED IN ITALY

American Anti-Aircraft Gun Proves Ideal Dual Purpose Weapon

ROME.—An American 90-mm. anti-aircraft gun, which hurls explosive shells at terrific velocity, is being used against enemy troops in Italy with devastating effect, and has proved an ideal dual purpose weapon, the Allied command said.

This highly mobile weapon, which can be fired at distant targets in much the same fashion as a sniper's rifle, is an adequate answer to the Nazi's famed 88-mm. gun.

FINNISH SHIP SUNK

LONDON.—A supplement to the Russian communiqué said that bombers of the Soviet Red Banner Baltic fleet had sunk the 3,900-ton coast defence ship Valamohein, Finland's only remaining naval vessel of any size. The Valamohein and a 6,000-ton transport both were sunk in the port of Kotka, the communiqué said.

Offers Basis For Reaching Greater Unity

OTTAWA.—The history of England and France—once stern enemies and now strong allies—offers a basis on which Canadians can reach greater unity, Senator Arthur Marcotte (P.C.-St. Catharines) said in an address in the upper house.

Senator Marcotte spoke in support of a motion by Senator L. A. David calling for action by the proposed Dominion-provincial conference on the preparation of a uniform textbook of Canadian history which would be acceptable to all provinces.

He said that while the subject was one which should be discussed on an academic basis it had become the basis of heated arguments.

Senator Marcotte made no direct reference to an address June 21 in the same debate by Senator T. D. Bouchard (L.-Quebec) when Senator Bouchard said the Order of Jacques Cartier was fostering a movement for the establishment of an independent French state in Canada.

Senator Marcotte said, however, that in introducing the motion Senator David "did not expect the sensational future the discussion has created outside this chamber."

"Politics, and politics of a very base and degrading nature, have become mixed with this question of history teaching," said Senator Marcotte. "So much so that it is difficult today to discuss this question in a manner that will not start bitter controversies. The present election in the province of Quebec is another reason for the care we have to take not to give more fuel to the present burning fire."

He said Lord Tweedsmuir, shortly before his death, had told him he was working on a Canadian history which would be acceptable to both English and French Canadians. Senator Marcotte said he believed the preparation of such a book was possible if the authors stuck to the truth.

"When I read history and I see the two mother countries of our Canada—England and France—fighting all over the world against each other for centuries while discovering, pioneering, developing new worlds to bring them civilization and Christianity; and then becoming united in a joint effort to save the world to that same civilization, to that same Christianity, and this for the second time in a quarter of a century, I am wondering why here the sons and descendants of those two great people cannot be more united," he said.

MILITARY AIRCRAFT

Munitions Minister Thinks Used Machines Unsuitable For

OTTAWA.—Munitions Minister Howe said in the commons he felt young men would be ill-advised if when they returned from overseas they sought to buy used military aircraft to start commercial air services.

He was answering J. G. Diefenbaker (P.C., Lake Centre) who asked if used aircraft would be made available to returned airmen on a time payment basis after the war.

Mr. Howe said they would be wise to buy suitable commercial type aircraft built for the particular purpose.

EGGS FOR BRITAIN

Canada Will Likely Be Able To Fill Contract

OTTAWA.—Agriculture Minister Gardiner said in the commons that he believed Canada would be able to fill a contract to supply 75,000,000 dozen eggs to the United Kingdom in the present year.

Last year, shipments totalled about 36,000,000 dozen, he said.

The minister was answering Tom Reid (N. New Westminster) who said British Columbia poultry farmers were concerned about future markets for eggs.

Mr. Gardiner said an effort was being made to assure a continuing British market for Canadian eggs.

REMOVAL OF DUTY

Will Be Effective On Farm Repair Parts After September

OTTAWA.—The Prices Board announced that existing prices on imported repair parts for farm machinery will remain in effect until Sept. 30. After that date dealers will have to pass on to farmers the reduction resulting from the removal of import duties and was expected to be effective.

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Rinaldo Pozzi, well known employee at the local mine, suffered injury to an eye on Friday last, necessitating his removal to Calgary for treatment.

Joe Funagilli suffered from a leg that limped during the past two weeks, but is able to be around now. The car was fined for unnecessary kicking.

Mr. and Mrs. Nestor Boutry, of Burmis, are planning on retiring from the farm on account of failing health. The farm and home are advertised for sale.

An unsubstantiated rumor was circulated on the battlefield in Normandy last week end that Max Schmeling, former world heavyweight boxing champion, had been killed in action.

Three nephews of the late Amos Bliss Tritts, wealthy mining promoter, rancher and business man, long resident of Fernie, who died in Vancouver last October, have entered a suit contesting the financier's \$1,550,800 will.

Poultry producers in Alberta will be called upon to ship 250,000 pounds of fowl, three pounds each or better, to the United States government for army use. The order has been placed through the Special Products Board at Ottawa.

Jack N. Ellwood, Calgary butcher, was fined \$35 and costs or 30 days imprisonment when he pleaded guilty to violating price ceiling regulations by retailing cuts of meat at prices higher than the maximum set by the Wartime Prices and Trade Board.

Damage estimated at \$40,000 to \$50,000 was caused by fire which swept through two large barrack blocks near Medicine Hat on Sunday. The barracks were used as living quarters for about 650 men. These men lost all their personal belongings.

Pte. Walter Paul Franz, of Blairmore, was listed last week end as having died of wounds in action. He was with the Royal Canadian Ordnance Corps. His wife, Mrs. Mariette Franz, resides in Blairmore. His father, Henry Franz, is resident of Cowley.

Sought by police for nineteen years, Alexander Danilchik, 55, wanted in Detroit for murder and armed robbery, was arrested in Winnipeg last week end by Royal Canadian Mounted Police. He is charged with being a principal in the murder of Andrew Kaczarek in Detroit on November 1st, 1925.

Completing service that extended over half a century, Cecil W. Johnston, general passenger manager of the Canadian National Railways, will retire under pension rules of the company at Montreal this week end. Mr. Johnston, one of the best known traffic men on the continent, saw railway service in three years.

Announcement was made last week of the marriage of Miss Ume Johnson, second daughter of Mrs. Johnson and the late Mr. Karl Johnson, of Coleman, to Mr. Harry Newsome, of Coleman and formerly of Champion. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. Collett at Claresholm on April 27th.

Agnes McPhail is working for the CCF in Alberta.

The Blairmore CPR station is being treated to a coat of paint.

Assistant Superintendent A. E. Hartley, CPR, was a visitor to the Pass on Tuesday and Wednesday.

A New York girl, aged 24, had an arm bitten off by a polar bear at the Central Park Zoo.

Postmaster and Mrs. J. H. Farmer have returned from a holiday trip through southeastern British Columbia.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Downey (nee Miss Grace Lote) at West Palm Beach, Florida, on July 22nd, a daughter.

There are many school girls urged to go and assist on the farms, while it is claimed that many a girl on the farm has practically nothing to do. She simply sits on the cabbages and peas.

Rev. W. H. and Mrs. Irwin returned to Bellevue last week from a visit to Calgary. Their daughter, Marian, who accompanied them, remained in the city to take a summer course at Mount Royal College.

About two hundred, including five women, turned out to hear Harold Winch at the Columbus hall on Sunday afternoon. Another speaker was Rev. Roy Taylor. The meeting was presided over by John Lloyd.

Eugene Kennedy, brother of E. R. Kennedy, of Coleman, met a tragic death on the Kimberley road last week when his arm became caught and badly mangled at a sawmill. He was thirty-two years of age, and is survived by his wife and two daughters.

An army hospital train arrived at Calgary on Wednesday morning with 32 members of the Canadian army from overseas. Seventeen of the 32 were stretcher cases, the balance five sitting and ten walking cases. The list included one Blairmore boy, Spr. Glyn Rhys.

About forty persons attended the Social Credit nominating convention at Lundbreck on Saturday evening, at which E. O. Duke was the unanimous choice. The chair was occupied by Fred Antrobus, of Coleman, while E. Fisher, of Bellevue, acted as secretary. Following nomination, Mr. Duke addressed the gathering.

James Marshall, treasurer and chief accountant of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company at Fernie, is to retire at the end of this month, after forty-three years of faithful service. He is succeeded by Angus McPhee. James came to Fernie from Westville, Nova Scotia, in 1901, and with exception of a few months with the Home Bank of Canada, has been with the company ever since.

Dave Elton is independent candidate at Lethbridge.

Pat Lenihan is a Labor-Progressive candidate at Calgary.

Mrs. F. Wolstenholme is away on vacation to the Pacific coast.

George Sangster passed away at Stellarton, Nova Scotia, on June 23rd, at the age of 59.

An exchange says there are five kinds of watermelon—round, oval, solid green, striped and swiped.

Sergt. Air Gunner Robert E. Smith, of Lundbreck, is reported hurt in an accident in England and is patient in hospital.

Born, at Blairmore, to Sigmund Blanchard and wife (nee Irene Landon, of Blairmore) on July 19th, a daughter, Margaret Wilhelmina Blanchard.

Mr. and Mrs. Dickson are down from Fort Saskatchewan on a visit to the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. McVey. They plan on spending about two weeks.

Funeral services for the late Charles Emmerson were held in the Bellevue United church on Sunday afternoon last and were largely attended. Members of the Masonic order, of which he was a member, attended in a body.

Professor W. L. Carlyle, long time manager of the EP ranch near High River and until quite recently general manager of the Hillcrest-Mohawk Collieries, is moving to California to become general manager of the J. J. Coney farms.

Alberta's provincial election will cost the treasury in the neighborhood of \$300,000.

Many a man has made a monkey of himself by reaching for the wrong limb.

Mrs. Reg. Tonge and children are visiting with relatives at Courtenay, British Columbia.

Robert Page, 65, a Taber sheep herder, was found dead in his bed near Sentinel on Tuesday morning.

Coleman town workmen are preparing material to patch holes in the hard surface in various parts of town.

Another way in which to make certain that there will be no second invitation is to arrive on a visit to relatives and friends without ration books.—Ex.

W. L. Taylor and family have returned from their holiday. Mr. Totten, who had been relieving Mr. Taylor at the CPR depot, returned to Lethbridge Thursday.

Indications are that the shortage of teachers in Alberta schools at the opening of the fall term will be more acute than last year, when 500 schools were short of teachers. This was reduced in November when 300 trainees from normal schools went to teaching posts.

WHAT TO PRAY FOR

Do not pray for easy lives. Pray to be stronger men. Do not pray for tasks equal to your powers. Pray for powers equal to your tasks.—Phillips Brooks (1835-1893).

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